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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.312

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks United States Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified allowed application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows.

Delete the paragraph bridging Pages 1 and 2 and insert therefor the following:

One object of the present invention is to realize hearing protection of the above-described type, in which user friendliness has been developed at the same time as safety has been improved. This object is attained in that the present invention [has been given the characterizing features as set forth in appended Claim 1].